The Attack on the Chinese Forts A correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger, writing from China, gives a thrilling account of the capture of the Pecho Forts by the English and French. After stating that the English steamer Cormorant, Captain Sumarez, was ordered to open the battle, the writer proceeds:

As soon as the Cormorant steamed up against the hawser, it parted like a length of against the and gave the signal of battle to the forts. Their earthern sides at once belched forth iron and flame, tearing the water in scores of places and bulling the advancing steamer upon her port side.

"Flat down at your guns," cried the intrevid Saumarez. And at the command every man cast himself flat upon the steamevery man allowed the iron shower to pass on its way. He, himself, however, strode impatiently the elevated poop like the brave man he is, directed the men at the gune, examined the forts through his glass. and listened for any hail from his sailingmaster, who also walked along the forecastle. The iron shower was succeeded by a second and a third-finally the discharge was almost continuous. Still the steamer moved steadily ahead, dark, silent, mutilated-but threatening as a sleeping volcano. At length we see her arrive abreast of the fifth fort, and at the same instant we notice a signal fluttering from the must-head of the gunboat of the two admirals. It is the "parting of the haw er" of the allies; the emblem of war; the longed for signal for the bursting of the volcano. Successive and dense volumes of smoke, now burst from the sides of the arrested steamer, envelope her in a surging cloud, and hide from view the furious working of the guns which succeed. The rapid and heavy discharges, preceded by lurid fishes of fisme and followed by clouds of dust and signs of disorder in the fort, tell plainly enough, however, of the work of death that is under way.

The bembardment is now general, and bas lasted for an hour or more. Still, the Chinese hang bravely by their guns, urged to courage by their mandarins; who, strange to say, are not, in this case, the first to run .--Some hold mar œuvre must therefore be resorted to, for many of the steamers have been badly hulled, and many valuable lives already lost. There it goes! Another flattering signal from the gun-boat of the admiral. That signal means-"Away there, stormer, and scale the forts!" One would think that it was written in large letters, instead of being indicated by flags, so quickly is it opbeyed. A hundred boats are suddenly urged towards the river's side, and eighteen hur. dred men leap in the mud and clamber up the broken banks. Then, with levelled bay onets and heavy tramp they press forward their solid masses upon, into, through the vawning embrasures. The foe can stand no longer. Even the Mantehoo Tartar shrinks before such a threatening front of advancing steel, and deserts his guns for a tumultuous fight. So long as the allies are in the middle of the river he could brave the danger of the exploding shells, but as soon as they neared him so steadily with their bristling front -being naturally a ticklish man -he takes up a burried fight. The whole 10,000 who had garrisoned the forts were now in full retreat. In vain the brave old mandarine (something that they have never done before) throw themselves in their way; blows curees, entresties are to longer of any avail. Fear has overcome authority; discipline is at ar end, and victory declares for the allies after a struggle of 2 hours 50 minutes.

The writer adds, that on the very day of the battle, Mr. Reed, the American Minister was to have gone on shore to have signed a treaty which granted us everything we have asked for and which had all been arranged previously. Though we may say that "the battle of the Pi-llo" had resulted in anything but benefit to us.

A man arrived from Pontiac yesterday afternoon, bringing intelligence that a fugitive had been arrested in that city by a Southerper, who intended to bring him on the Detroit and Milwackie Railway. The train on which it was expected that they would artive was due at about I o'clock, and at that time a large crowd of colored people assembled at the depot, armed and equipped for a valerous fight and rescue. If any unlucky Southerner had arrived at that precise m. ment, he could undoubtedly have been blown into small atoms, if blowing could effect such ab event. As it was, the extra wind was expended for nothing, as no Southerner and no fugitive slave were found upon the cars at the strival of the train. The sable individuals were much disappointed thereat, and immedistely made more vigorous demonstrations than ever. Some wag, who appreciated a good joke, harried into the deput at this juncture, and informed the crowd that the parties of whom they were in search had got off at the junction, three miles out, and were waiting there to take the train for Toltue. The valuant corps instantly rushed out of doors, and, the last that was seen of them, the whole body were streaking it up the railroad track at a good speed, coat tails sticking out straight, and heels invisible for dust. wo or three fit ones broke down on the fest quarter, and with a couple of wenches, were left behind. It was surmised that the wind was pretty much worked out of the lest by the time the three miles were accomplished. The affair was intensely funny .-

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets. Baltimore, August 12 - Flour is quiet; new Howard street and Ohio \$5,50. Wheat closed with a declining tendency; red 115@115, white 12 @149. Corn is dull and lower; mixed 78@ Sic., white 82@ 86c., yellow 85@90c. Whiskey mactive. Provisions are quiet and unchanged.

NEW YORK, August 12 .- Flour is firm; sales of 11,500 bbls; State \$4.50@\$4.55; Ohio \$5.50 6\$5.80; Southern \$5.25@\$5.50. Wheat is dull; ides of 17,000 bushels ; Southern red 120@125; *12 130@150; Western white \$112@118.-Com is beavy; sales 20,000 bushels; mixed 70 as, white starter, yellow 96c. Pork is heavy; 468 \$17.50, prime \$15. Lard is quiet. Whisley is steady at 26 jc. Stocks are dull, and lewer, Va. 6,8 991. Mo. 6's 851.

New York Money Market.

The New York Post says that a house of Sat city has taken half a million of Messrs. hobbins & Sons \$2,000,000 of the public loan. hawas the first transaction in the new loan brough private hands, but this morning anothparty have sold out their full amount at an Engre on the original rate. The New Fives 1 1514 as they are called, yield a premium of cent 42 per cent w annum, and is the despest government issue on the market. The New York Commercial commenting on

he last weekly statement of the banks of that The large increase in loans has rather taken be public by surprise, and is probably the re-

Bit of the public sales and some heavy private attachile transactions of last week. We have tetranile transactions of last week. ton leached the week of the year corresponding a tat in 1857, in which the discount line reachhis maximum point, \$122,077,252, and the tombencement of the rigid contraction which is mediately followed, by which the line was integral in sixteen weeks to the minimum of 14.63.130 an average contraction of nearly high a week. The line now has reached solid \$1.84,395 of the extreme point of 1857 and we presume the expansion of 1858

By Yesterday Evening's Malis.

DISTRESSING DROUGHT .-- A gentleman from been without rain for weeks, and the effect upon the corn crop is truly lamentable -the vicinity of Cabinet Point, Surry.

In many places we regret to hear that the farmers despairing of gathering an amount of half the usual quantity could be realized .-Garden vegetables have also withered beneath the wells are fast failing, and many entertain

The Richmond correspondent of the Exstate of things almost unprecedented -Streams have dried up, and the people experi- -- Nat. Int. ence much difficulty in getting their corn ground into meal. The steam corn mill of Mr. Wm. N. Bragg, at Millford Depot, Care- PARATORY DEPARTMENT .- This Department, line county, has, in this emergency, furnished attached to the Theological Seminary of Virfacilities to the inhabitants for twenty miles around. The water power had failed, and many families were for weeks without meal. potatoes to supply the lack of bread.

The Blue Ridge Republican says:--Two men, named Tyson and Powell, have been committed to our jail, charged with breaking into the house of Mr. Smith, at "Rappahannock City," in this county, and stealing beween two hundred and fifty and three hundred dollars.

FREIGHT TRADE .- On yesterday there was received at the Depot of the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad, in this city, twenty oaded cars, from the West, with produce, consisting of 3.216 bushels of Wheat; 84 barrels of Fiour; 23,150 pounds of Tobacco; 57,-000 pound Miscellaneous, and 15 loaded cars were sent West .- Lynchburg Virginian.

George Price, who died in Stanardsville, Green county, Va , a few days since, left \$2,-500 for the erection of a Baptist Church

Rev. John Byrd, of the Baptist Church. died suddenly in Essex county, Va, od Sunday last. He was in good health that morning, and preached to his congregation, but was dead in g. Mr. T. A. F. Todschnider, small beer

An unfortunate woman in Richmond, callng berself Pauline Whitmore, attempted to in the rear of his premises. When found destroy berself by swallowing an ounce of life was extinct, though he had been absent laudanum, last Tuesday night, but was saved by the prompt administration of an emetic

The Warrenton Whig says: - John, A. Spilfor \$1200 which cost about \$525 three or Star of yesterday afternoon. four years ago. This is doubling its value in less than four years.

Prince George's County, Md.

belonging to Benjamin T. Hodges, Esq., plaints are frequent in this place. Persons healthy a scalp, and as luxuriant a crop of hair scalled "Pentland Hills," near this place, con- who have fruit trees and vegetables are it-REAL ESTATE SALE .-- The valuable farm, taining 296} acres, was sold at public sale truded upon by gangs of loafers and vicious yesterday. The larm and the growing crops brought \$20,000, and were purchased by John Hodges, jr., esq.

THE NEW STEAMER GEORGE WEEMS, is receiving the finishing touch, and in a few days will be put upon the line between Baled the George Weems, out of respect to one of the oldest pioneers of steam navigation in this State, and who, for nearly his entire life, was prominently identified with its in- Gazette, "On 'Change," Ree was quoted at terests. Such has been the many improveequipment of this steamer, that she is looked of \$5.50; and in the item on the fire no inupon as the handsomest and most complete vessel of the kind in our waters. The George Weems will commence running regularly during the present week, making from eigh teen to twenty landings on the Patsuxent, and running up as far as Hill's Landing; a distance of 135 miles, which the boat will certainly do in seven hours .- Planters' Adv.

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LATEST DATES. MARINE LIST.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA -- AUGUST 12. ARRIVED. Barque Ephraim Williams, Cornwall, Dix Is-

and, granite for Washington, D C. Brig America, Robins, New York, to David A. Lowe.

Schr. Alva, Greenwood, Windsor, plaster Cazenove & Co. Schr. Commander in-Chief, Martin, Philadel phia, coal to J. C. Nevett.

Schr. Iram Smith, McGivern, Fall River, to Borden Mining Co. Schr. Triune, Weaver, Nomini, wheat to Rob inson & Payne.

Sloop Dove, Flanagan, Wicomico, corn and wheat to Robinson & Payne. Sloop St. Cloud, Trader, Fook's Landing. corn to Robinson & Payne. SAILED.

Schr Wm. Bacon, Tyler, New York, coal by T. J. Mehaffey. Schr. C. A. Crook, Everham, New York, coal

by Fowle & Co. Schr. Eliza Hamilton, Crux, Troy, coal by Fowle & Co. Schr. A. H. Dixon, Simmons, Philadelphia,

by D. A Lowe. FOR PHILADELPHIA .- The regular POR PHILADELPHIA.—The regular will sail on Saturday, the 14th inst. For freight, apply to the Captain on board, or to STEPHEN SHINN,

No 4, South Wharves FOR BOSTON .- The fast sailing Packet, Schooner H. F. PAYTON, Nick-

erson, master, will have despatch to the above port For freight or passage, apply to aug 9 M. ELDRIDGE, Union Wharf. TUST RECEIVED .- 100 pieces Bleached

Cottons, some very superior and cheap 10 pieces super. Irish Linens, some very superior and cheap Bleached and Brown Sheetings and Pillow Case Cottons

10 pieces Fancy Prints, cheap Riue Domestics and Domestic Ginghams Diapers, Towellings, &c.; Swiss and Cambric Muslins; Mull and Namsook do.; Whi'e, Red, and Yellow Flannels; Tickings; Can on Flannels; Jeans; Twilis; Cotton Hosiery; Darning Cottons, &c., &c., to which we invite attention. aug 11 G. K. WITMER & BROS.

AFFAIRS OF THE C. AND O. CANAL. - The Sussex, one of the most reliable in the coun- Board of Directors of the Canal held their ty, represents to the Petersburg Express, a last meeting, commencing on Friday, the 6th rather alarming state of things, as existing instant, and closing late on Tuesday evening. in that section. In some parts of the coun- at Berkeley Springs, Va. They were met ty, especially near Coman's Well, they have there by a number of gentlemen from New York city, and Cumberland, Md., concerned The same, says the informant, is the case in in coal mining and the navigation of the canal, with the object of consummating the arrangement for a loan of \$100,000 to the corn that will repay for the trouble, have cut canal company wherewith to complete Dams down the stalks in the hope of making fodder. Nos. 4 and 5, as we have beretofors stated. In other places, even though the most drench. The result was that the said arrangements ing rains were now to fall, not more than were fully consummated and the necessary contracts entered into and signed. By these it.] the rays of the sun, and never failing streams the money will be forthcoming, and not as bave ceased to run, leaving their beds dry it is wanted for the said structures, the loanand parehed. In many neighborhoods, too, ing parties receiving in lieu permits of the nature of receipts for tolls dering the year serious apprehensions that man and beast 1859. These terms appear to be judicious will suffer for water, un ess specially relieved. and liberal, and it is now claimed that the future of the canal, to all human appearance, is rid of the only great cloud which menaced press save the drought has become a matter its fortunes. The work at dam No. 4 is gofor serious consideration, and gloomy antici- ing steadily and successfully firward; the pations are indulged in by the agricultural work at dam No. 5, which had been suspen community in the environs of Richmond -- | ded for lack of funds, will be immediately Accounts from the country inform us of a resumed. The September meeting of the Board will also be held at Berkeley Springs.

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF VIRGINIA--PRE having been found successful to the full exganized, under yet more favorable auspices. sister.

The object of it is to prepare for the study of theology, those, who from age, or any other cause, have been and are unable to resort to a college for the training necessary is set down at forty. to the successful prosecution of a divinicourse. In it all such persons, coming duly recommended for picty and adequate talents. will receive gratuitous instruction in the Linguages, Mathematics, and Natural and Moral Puilosophy. That instruction will be imparted by a gentleman of scholarship employed for the purpose, aided by the three professors of the Seminary.

Members of this department will lodge in building by themselves, but will board at

the Seminary refectory.
Should any person under this preparatory training, require pecuniary assistance in maintaining themselves, it may be obtained of the Elucation Society of the Diocese, on proper certificates of religious character, competent talents and actual need.

The annual term of this institution com mences at the same time with the Theological Seminary, namely, on the fourth Thursday in September .- South. Churchman.

Suicibe -About eight o'clock this mornmanufacturer on Maryland avenue, Capitol Hill, committed suicide by hanging himself to a beam in the upper story of an old stable from his family so short a time that, when discovered, the rope by which he was suspended was severed, in the hope that life might be still remaining. The cause of the act is attributable to the worst result of

depredations committed upon the gardens in applications removed the disease entirely, and a and about Washington. The same com-

SALE -The brick dwelling on the West side of the new Custom House, will be offered for sale this evening at 5 o'clock -timore and the Patuxent river. She is nam- The purchaser is required to remove it forth-

ERRATA -- In the local item in yesterday's 180 instead of 80, and flour at \$4.50 instead surance should have been an insurance.

GUANO .- This fertilizer has only been introduced into use by the farmers in this country, within a very short time, but all who have used it pronounce it very valuable, possessing qualities ardly inferior to those of Peruvian. By analysis it is found to contain of ammonia 9,30 per cent., bone phosphate of lime 31.26, bone phosphate phate of magnesia 3,20, potash 2,30, Soda 74. sulphate of lime 35. Mr. Campbell Morfit, distinguished Chemist of New York, thus des cribes it : "The Guano from 'Elide Island,' near the Gulf of California, resembles in general character the Peruvian guano, but has a distinctive feature in its greater uniformity of composition. While its preportion of ammonia falls several per cent, below the average quantity in Peruvian guano, it contains a higher ratio of phosphoric acid. This difference in the two guanes brings about that desirable relation between those prime components of the Elide guano, which will give it a more permanent effect upon the soil, and at the same time mantain a high and sufficient fertilizing activity In addition potassa is always largely present and in quantity nearly equal to the average in Peruvian guano The due consideration of these and its other natural advantages, justifies the opinion that the real agricultural value of Etide Guano approaches that of the Peruvian, and may be rated in higher terms than would be deduced in the usual way of estimating the money value of that article, chiefly from its content of ammonia." Gentlemen in Virginia and South Carolina, who have used the Elide

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BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH. New Orleans, Aug. 12 - Later dates from Mexico, state that General Morena, the acting President, has abandoned the Zuloaga cause, and that the city of Tampico has been abandoned by the adherents of Zuloaga. Also, doned by the adherents of Zulesga. Also, that the liberals were advancing upon Tam-The above dispatch may not have been strictly interpreted, but it is the only plausible construction the reporter can give St. John, N. F., Aug. 11 -There are now

over eighty miles of cable left on board the Niagara, which will be reshipped in New York to England. All the machinery for paying out the cable is left standing exactly C. W. FIELD.

PHILADELPHIA, August. 12 -The following dispatch has been received from New

"Gen. Walker is in Alabama. He left Mobile on the steamer La Grand, for Mont- IN BAGS AND BARRELS. A VERY EX gomery, on Monday the 9th instant"

B st N, August, 11 .- Thomas Clancey, charged with the murder of Thomas Mcginia, was established three years ago, and Dermott, in Mendon, on Friday last, was arrested at East Boston last evening, where he | Water 8.54 My informant says that they had to resort to tent of the experiment, is now being re-or- had secreted himself in the house of his

> NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 12 -The number of deaths from the yellow fever here, last week.

THE GREAT BEAUTIFIER SO LONG UNSUCCESSFULLY SQUGHT, FOUND AT LAST!-For it restores permanently gray THE RICHEST PHOSPHATIC GUANO hair to its original color; covers luxuriantly the bald head; removes all dandruff itching and all scrofula, scald head and all eruptions; makes the hair soft, healthy, and glossy; and will preserve it to any imaginable age; removes, as if by magic, all blotches. &c., from the face, and cures all neuralgia and nervous head ache. See

circular and the following:
Dover, N. H., Feb. 2d. 1857 - Prof. O. J Wood & Co .- Gents: Within a few days we have received so many orders and calls for Prof. O. J. WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE, that to day we were compelled to send to Boston for a quantity. (the 6 dozen you forwarded all being sold) while we might order a quantity from you. Every bottle we have sold seems to have produced three or four new customers and the approbation and patronage it receives from the most substantial and worthy citizens of our vicinity, fully convince us that it is a most valuable preparation.

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ize: and one dezen \$2 size; and believe us yours very respectfully.
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> hereby recommend your RESTORATIVE, as a perfect remedy for all diseases of the scalp and hair. We are, yours, respectfully. GEORGE W. HIGGINBOTHAM. SARAH A. HIGGINBOTHAM. GARDINER MAINE, June 22, 1855,-Prof. O. J. Wood-Dear Sir: I have used two bottles of Prof. WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE, and can truly say it is the greatest discovery of the age for restoring and changing the hair using it I was a man of seventy. My hair has

> now attained its original color. You can recommend it to the world without the least fear, as my case was one of the worst kind. Yours, respectfulty, DANIEL N. MURPHY.
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and Fancy Goods dealers. jy 24-eo3m TOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE.-The Y Ninth Annual Session of this Institution, Boarding and Day Scholars, will commence

on Monday, September 13th. The Exercises will be conducted by the Prinsipal and his wife, aided by competent Assisants in the several departments.

Those pupils who expect to become teachers will, in addition to the usual course of study, receive special advice and instruction upon such topics and duties as relate directly to the profession of Teaching. Courses of Lectures upon the Sciences, will

e delivered during the year. Further information respecting the Institu tion, may be obtained by application to SYLVESTER SCOTT, PRINCIPAL.

TUMAC WANTED.—The subscribers wish to purchase 200 TONS of SUMAC, for which they will pay the highest cash price. Village store keepers will find it to their advantage to communicate with us in reference to what they may tale in during the season. We also wish to pur hase WOOL of all grades, and will give the highest market price for it.

RAMSBURG & EBERT Georgetown, D. C., aug 3-w2m tOAL AFLOAT .- I shall commence

J ering from schooner Commander-in-Chief, this morning, a cargo of very superior White and Red Ash, Broken and Egg COAL. But a with other priva e collections in the Southern small portion of it is for sale. Parties, therefore, who desire to avail themselves of the present very low price, will do well to send in JAS. C. NEVETT. Dukest Whart aug 13-3t

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NAUTION -All persons are warned against / LANDING on the shore, or TRESPASS-ING upon the Farm of Thomas E. B rry, esq. at the Ferry opposite Alexandria, for the purpose of Hunting or Gunning. My Corrfield and Water Melon patches have been robbed lately. and a strict watch will be k-pt in future, and those who introde will have to abide the conse-quences. RICH D. H. HOOK, Overseer. Prince George's Co., Md , aug 13-eo3 *

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PIECES SUPER. BLEACHED COT-() TONS. Osnaburgs, Bine Domestics, White crilliantes, Flannels, Ginghams, Cambric and Swiss Muslins; Skirts in great variety; Donbar & Dixon's, and Kichardson & Gihon's Irish Liners, Russia Disper, with many other new Goods, this day received, and for sale low by ang 10 TAYLOR & HUTCHISON.

AUCTION SALES.

TINO SPLENDID FISHERIES FOR RENT. -Will be offered for rent, at Alexandria. Virginia, on Saturday 28th August, 1858, TWO Ropes, Boats, Scows, Lookout Boats, &c., all complete, and in good order. The Houses

The said TUMP, is less than a mile from the Steamboat Landing, where you can send your fish twice a day, to the Alexandria, Washington, and Richmond Markets These Shores will be rented either with, or without the Outfils. The renter can buy the outfits all complete, it THE GUMS-This well known FISHERY

is within one mile of the Steamboat landing. above named markets—It is well fitted up with good iron Capstans, and as good Houses—with a first rate outfit, every thing complete, from a knife and tork, up to Seines. Ropes—Base of the premises. Persons wishing to see it will call on Mr. COURTNEY, residing on the place, or Mr. GEO. E. WILLIAMSON, near Warrenton. Scows, all in good order. This Shore will be rented either with, or without the outfit The Fishery is a good Winter, as well as Herring and Shad Fishery. Both of the above named FISHERIES have an advantage over all other Shores on the river, as you can always find sale for the subbish fish on the Shore, at good prices. These Fisheries will be rented one year, with the privilege of five. The undersigned can always be seen on the farm, or address, MORGAN L. FINNALL.

iv 24-weo2wAug7A21. Fredericksburg, Va A FARM FOR SALE.—This Farm is situated in Spotsylvania, 7 miles from the Ct. frouse, 12 from Guiney's Depot. and 19 from Fredericksburg. It contains over 800 ACRES -400 opened, and the balance in oak and pine. It lies moderately undulating, is well watered and as productive as any land in this section, having been much improved. The soil is a mi rably adapted to the culture of Tobacco.

The improvements are excellent and extensive. The DWELLING is neat and omfortable, having eight rooms, with fire places, and a dry celler. There is another framed HOUSE, with two rooms, passage, and basement. The cut-buildings are good. embracing every house usually found on well improved estates. There are houses for curing from 12,000 to 15,000 lbs. Tobacco.

The situation combines the advantages of good health, good society, good roads, convenience to post office, churches, mills, wheel-wright and blacksmith shops.

To any one wishing to purchase a desirable

home, in a healthy and pleasant neighborhood, with every comfort ready to hand, this place offers inducements worthy of consideration Price \$12 per acre, less by several dollars than I should be willing to take if it suited me to reside in the county. The improvements are worth more than half the sum asked for the Terms :--One quarter cash; the balance in 1.

2, 3, and 4 years Deed of trust and insurance on the buildings to secure the deterred payments D. M. WHARTON. Post Office, Mount Pleasant, Spotsylvania

county, Va. my 11-wtf (RAFTON FARM AND ALEXANDRIA TROPERTY FOR RENT.—The farm half wooded, and partly heavy timber, with a mst large and excellent DWELLING and all necessary out buildings-pure and sweet vater in the yard-and a never failing stream running through the farm. It is not surpassed for health; -and around it is a large population, with good and kind neighbors. It lies near to the Kappahannock river and canal, where, within 3 or 4 miles, MILLS are established, furnishing a market for every thing grown on the farm. To a substantial tenant and good farmer, the rent

will be moderate; no other need apply. I offer also for tent, my large three story, fire my proof, BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, cormer of King and Washington streets, long months, with an approved endorser. No goods ton, and 20 on King street. It has been rented for a boarding house, and for four years past, it was filled with opulent, and the most respecta-Water...... 22.90 | the ceilings high and the parlors large and elegant, with suitable breakfast and dining rooms Both gas and water have been brought into the house. The location is unsurpassed for convemence, comfort, and health. Possession given

For terms, apply to iy 23-w4w CHRISTOPHER NEALE.

on the 1st of September next.

PARM ON THE ORANGE AND ALEX-ANDRIA RAILROAD, AT AUCTION. On the premises, on Saturday, the 28th day of The FARM contains TWO HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIVE ACRES of LAND, one third of which is in timber. The BUILDINGS are good, and the location unsurpassed or health. There is a MINERAL SPRING on the Farm, and indications of a rich copper mine-specimens of the ore may be seen at Catlett's Station Any one wishing to find a good Farm, for gardening and farming purposes. or a beautifully situated country residence, will

Fauquier county, jy 31-w4wS A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The valuable FARM of the late C. C. Taliaerro, deceased, in Culpeper county, is offered for sale privately, until the - day of August when, if not sold before, it will be offered for sale on the premises, to the highest bidder .-This Farm is on the Rapidan river, adjoining Railroad, the Station being only a few hundred vards from the dwelling house and barn. contains SIX HUNDRED AND THIRTY ACRES, is highly productive, situated in a

sirable neighborhood. The BUILDINGS are convenient and in good repair. TERMS accommodating Any information in tion to the subscriber, or to the following perons: Robert A. Mayo, esq., Dr. F. W. Roddy, Richmond, Dr. A. Taliaferro, Culpeper Court-House, or Dr. H. D. Taliaterro, Orange Court-LAW. H. TALLIAFERRO. Rapidan Station, Culpeper co., jy 26-2awtf

NRUSTEE'S SALE.—The undersigned, as Trustees, offer at Private Sale, at the Coach Factory of Bowen, Berlin & Peak, No 175, corner of King and Henry streets, Alexandria, a very superior lot of CARRIAGES of every description, with HARNESS to suit: consisting in part of the tollowing, Phaetons, Charriotes, our and two seat Rockaways, Buggies with or without tops, Jersey Wagons, Double and Single Harness, &c., &c.

TERMS.—All purchases of and under \$500 inery days credit, over that sum six months.-Notes with approved security required in all E. B. MANTOR, Trustees. je 7-eotí D. FUNSTEN,

FOR RENT -The HOUSE and LOT corner of Prince and Royal streets, at preoccupied by Aloysius Baggett, an excellent stand for a Bakery, or Grocery Store. Also, The STORE ROOMS, on the south side of King street, west of Pitt, recently occupied by Stone & Co., as a Drug store-an excellent stand for any kind of business Also, A comfortable, small, two-story BRICK DWELLING, on south side of Wolfe, be-

tween Fairlax and Royal streets. Apply to 8th mo 5-law4w THARLES BAYNE & CO., IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN MANUFACTURED and LEAF TOBACCO, HAVANA CIGARS, SNUFF, 11 6 West Lombard street, Baltimore. Beltimore, ly 13-colm

(1) BBUS. prime Eastern Herring, in store, and for sale by WASHINGTON & CO.

AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF VALUABLE FAUQUIER LAND.—I offer for sale, my FARM, situa-ted about five miles from Warrenton, and seven of the BEST FISHERIES on the Potomac miles from Catlett's Station, on the Orange and river, viz: the TUMP FISHERY, well known Alexandria Railroad. It contains FIVE HUN for its celebrity, both for its Winter as well as DRED and TWELVE ACRES, of which 150 its Herring and Shad Fisheries. This Shore has acres are in wood and timber. The quality of every thing in good order, to wit: first-rate iron | the soi is good, and well adapted to the growth Capstans, all well set, with a fine outfit; Seines, of all kinds of grain and grasses. There are several valuable Free Stone Quarries on this Farm suitable for fencing and building purposes. The land is free of surface stone, of good exposure, and easily cultivated.

The improvements consist of a FRAME DWELLING, containing eleven rooms, and the usual out-buildings.

Possession for seeding will be given so soon

as the property is sold, and full possession given on the 1st of January next. If this property should not be sold by the 5th of September it will on that day, or the first

RICE W. PAYNE, at Warrenton, Va. SARAH WILLIAMSON.

Warrenton, Va., aug 13-eotSep15 TALUABLE FARM FOR SALE, NEAR WARRENTON, VA.-My FARM, con-ACRES, on the Warrenton Branch of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, distant 4 miles from Warrenton, and 11 miles from the "three mile Station " on said Road, is for sale.

Inis FARM may be easily sub-divided into two smaller tracts, having each a sufficiency of wood and water, and containing one about 300,

They will be sold separately or together, to

10th of November next, it will on that day, if fair, it not, the next tair day, be sold at public auction, on the premises. For terms, &c., I refer to my Attorney, RICE

W. PAYNE, at Warrenton, Va. GEORGE E. WILLIAMSON. Warrenton, Va., aug 13-eotNov10

TAUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE NE-GROES.—Pursuant to a decree of the arcuit Court of Westmoreland county, Va., for purposes therein mentioned,) the undersignd. Executors of James H. Payne, dec'd., will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Oak Grove, in the county aforesaid, on the 15th day of September, if fair, if not, the first fair day, 12 or 15 LIKELY SLAVES, among them is a very valuable House Carpen-

JOSEPH F. HARVEY. FERDINAND FAIRFAX.

WINES, TEAS, CIGARS, LIQUORS, &c., AT AUCTION.—By virtue of a Deed of Trust, bearing date July 31st, 1858, the subscriber will offer for sale at Public Auction, on Thursday, the 19th inst., commencing at 10 o'clock, at contains SIX HUNDRED ACRES, about one the Storehouse, lately occupied by Powell & Co., at the corner of King and Union streets, the of BRANDIES, WHISKEY, WINES, and other

ohns, and casks, containing from two to ten gallons each, for the convenience of country gentlemen and others, who wish to supply

TERMS OF SALE .- For all purchases less than \$20, the cash will be required, for all there the notes of the purchaser, at four ecupied by me. It fronts 90 feet on Washing- to be delivered until the terms of sale are fully

LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR.

Va . on the Snickers's Gap Turnpike; is twelve miles from Leesburg, three from Middleburg, and two and a half from Aldie. The tract contains THREE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-ONE ACRES OF LAND. All of the cleared land is in a high state of cultivation; the remainder well timbered. In each field there are several

tor burning. The improvements consist of a Brick DWELLING HOUSE, with five Rooms below, and four above It is comfortable and convenient. The Kitchen is of stone; has a room above and beneath. There are good Sercant's houses, with every other necessary out-

building. Within a few yards of the house, are TWO ORCHARDS of choice Fruit. This Farm adjoins the lands of Jas. F. Ball, and the heirs of Geo W. McCarty, and a more beautiful, desirable, or more healthy location, is not to be found in the State. It commands an extensive view of the Blue Ridge, and in loveliness of scenery is unsurpassed. It lies within tour miles of the Loudoun Branch of the Manassas Gap Railroad, and twelve of the Plains Station. Prompt attention will be given to any communication addressed to the subscriber, HORACE LUCKETT, Middleburg P. O.,

Loudoun Co, Va.

UBLIC SALE OF THE WAVELAND ESTATE, IN UPPER FAUQUIER .-In pursuance of the provisions of two deeds or the Rapidan Station, Grange and Alexandria trust, executed by James Rogers and wife, the first to Richards Payne, bearing date on the 13th day of October, 1855; and the second, to R E. Scott, and John A. Spilman, bearing date on the 24th of September, 1857, each recorded in beautiful country, and surrounded by a most de- the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Fau quier county, Va., we, the undersigned, (acting under the authority of the deeds, respectively made to us,) will sell the TRACT OF LAND relation to the FARM may be had by applica- in the said two deeds mentioned, on the premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, 1858. The said tract of land, containing EIGHT HUN-DRED AND SIXTY-SIX ACKES, lies in the upper part of Fauquier county, on the waters of Carter's Run, within two miles of the Salem Station of the Manassas Gap Railroad-and is in every respect, one of the best estates in the county, or Piedmont region of Virginia. The soil is originally of the best quality, and has been highly improved, is well watered, and heavily TIMBERED. The improvements consist of an elegant MANSION, in complete re-

the accommodation of Servants and Stock necessary on the farm, Barn, Corn-Crib, &c. The neighborhood is healthy, and society polished. The estate comprises all that is necessary to render it a most desirable residence, and profit-

chase morey to be paid down in cash, on the day of sale, but should the purchaser not find it convenient to pay the whole of the cash payment on the day of sale, a negotiable note at sixty days, well endorsed, will be acceptable to the trustees; the residue to be divided into two equal annual payments to be secured by bonds with approved personal security, bearing interest from day of sale, and as further indemnity the title to the said land to be withhel I until all the purchase money is paid, with pewer of resale, in case the purchaser should fail to pay-

R. E. SCOTT.

Fauquier county, Va., jy 5-eots D OCKBRIDGE ALUM WATERS, 4 large IN supply just received, fresh from the

cor. Fairfax and Prince-sts

It is well watered, and nearly one half of the tract is in wood and timber, which adds great y

to its value. The soil is productive and easily tilled. The DWELLING HOUSE and out-buildings are all new.

and the other about 240 acres. suit purchasers, who are invited to view the premises
It this FARM should not be sold before the

ter. Terms, cash.
W. S. PAYNE.

Westmoreland county, Va , aug 13-cots By S. J. McCORMICK-AUCTIONEER.

stock on hand belonging to the said Powell & Co. at the date of said Deed, consisting of a va-riety of TEAS, CIGARS, Ac., and a large stock Liquors, of superior quality.

The finest Liquors have been put up in demi-

hemselves with a first rate article.

complied with. aug 12-dts Trustee TALUABLE LOUDOUN FARM FOR SALE —I offer for sale, the beautiful and desirable FAKM, called "DRESDEN," upon which I reside. It is situated in Loudoun Co.

Springs, which, during the most protracted drought, have never failed. There is an abundance of Limestone upon the Farm, with a Kiln

do well to call and examine the premises. The terms will be made easy and accommodating to the purchaser. For further particulars, address R. B. WILLIAMSON, Warrenton, Va.

> able investment. TERMS OF SALE :- One third part of the pur-

in accordance with the terms herein set forth RICHARDS PAYNE.

JOHN A. SPILMAN.

Springs, on hand, and for sale by J. WILLIAM BOWLING,